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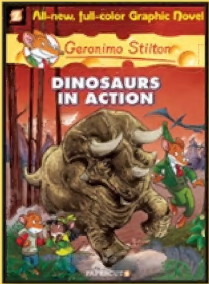
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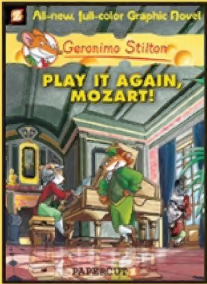
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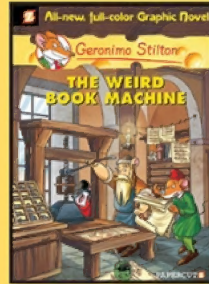
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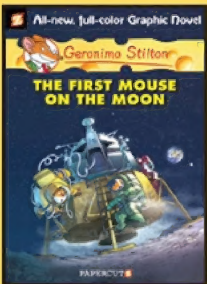
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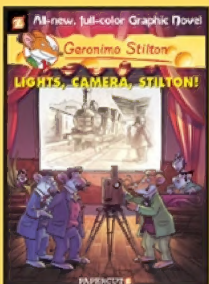
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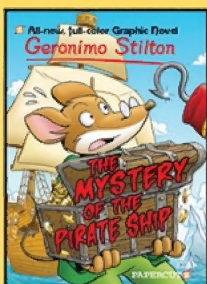
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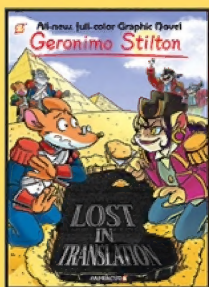
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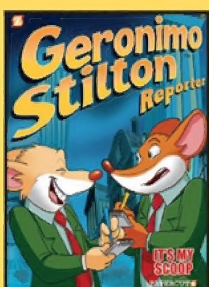
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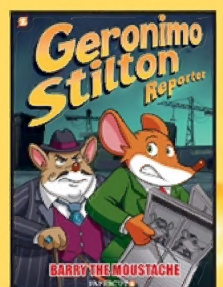
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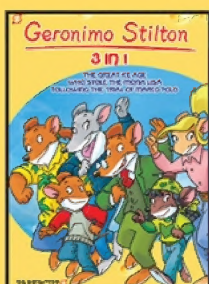
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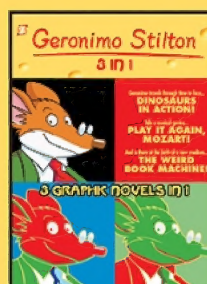
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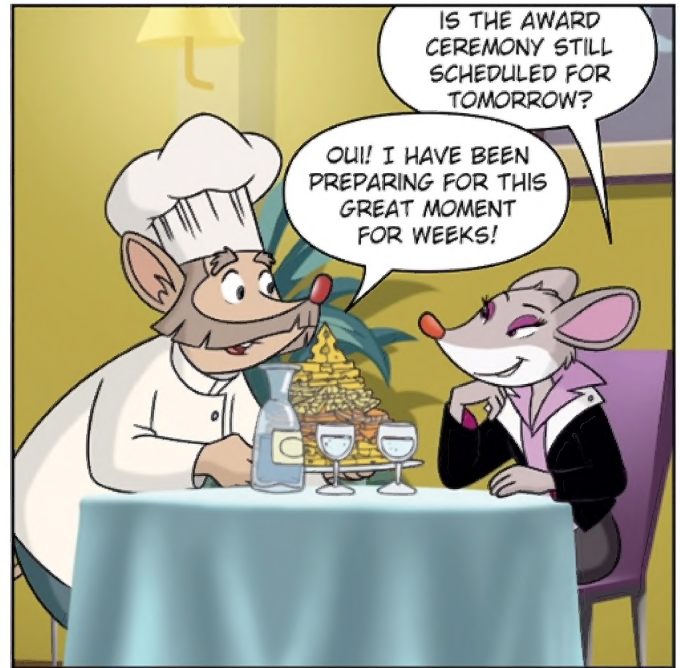
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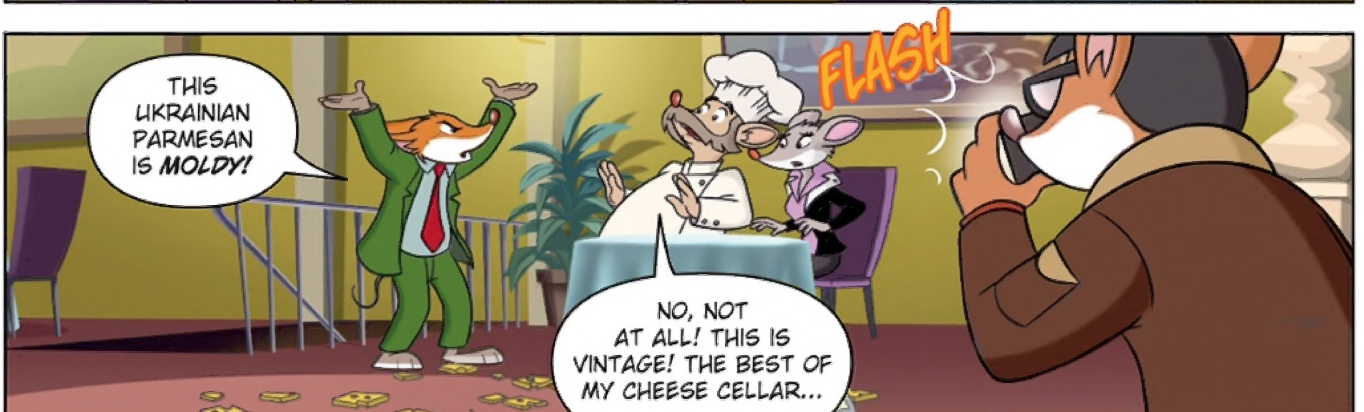


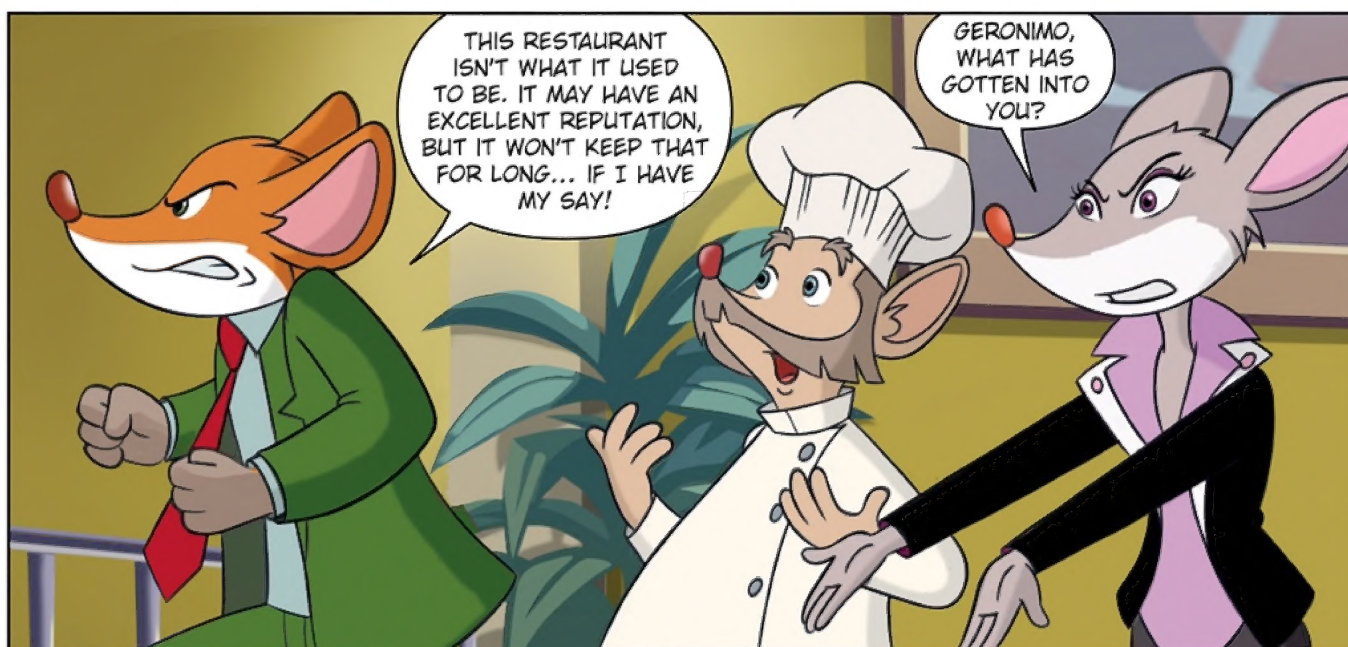
DINNERTIME, NEW MOUSE CITY, AT CHEF RICARDO'S PRESTIGIOUS RESTAURANT...

HE SHOULDN'T BE TOO LONG. IT'S NOT LIKE MY BROTHER TO ARRIVE LATE.

HA! A LITTLE APPETIZER WHILE WE WAIT FOR GERONIMO?







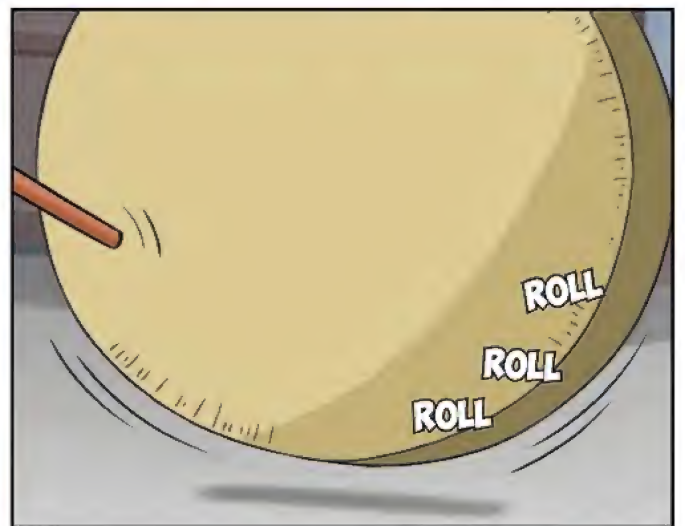
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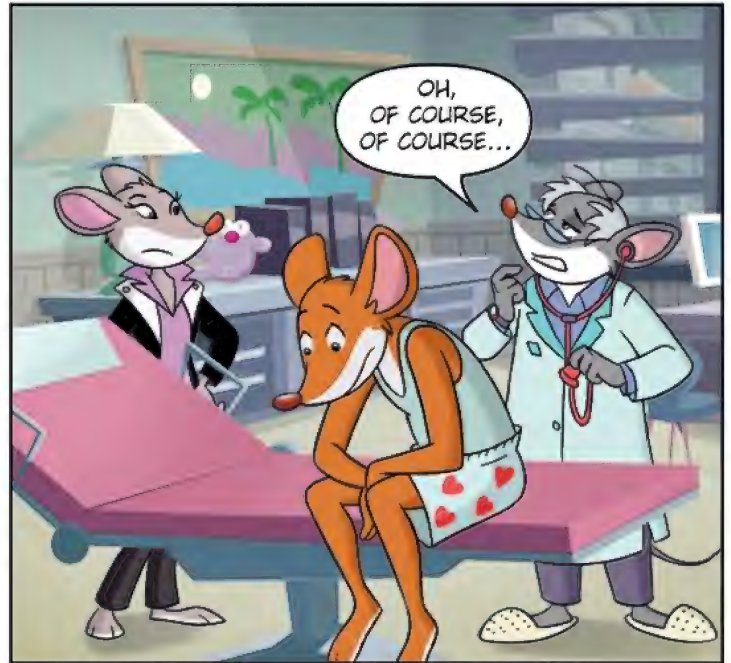




















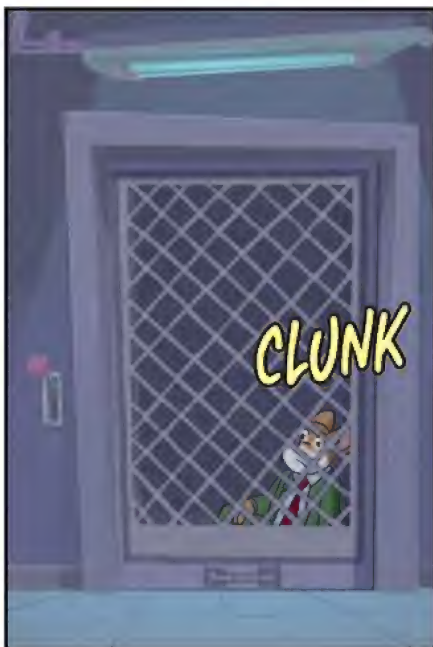
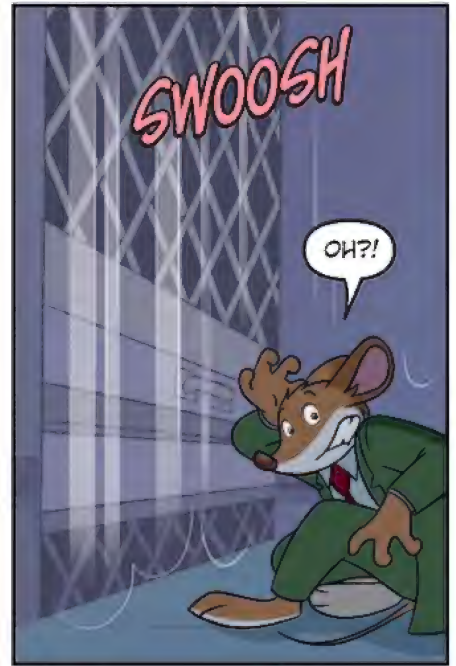


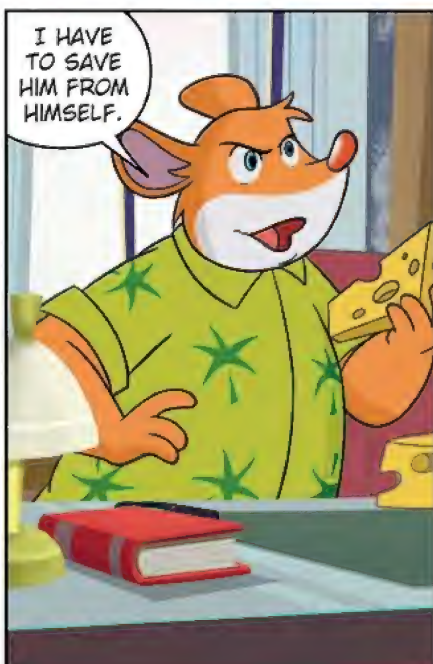
























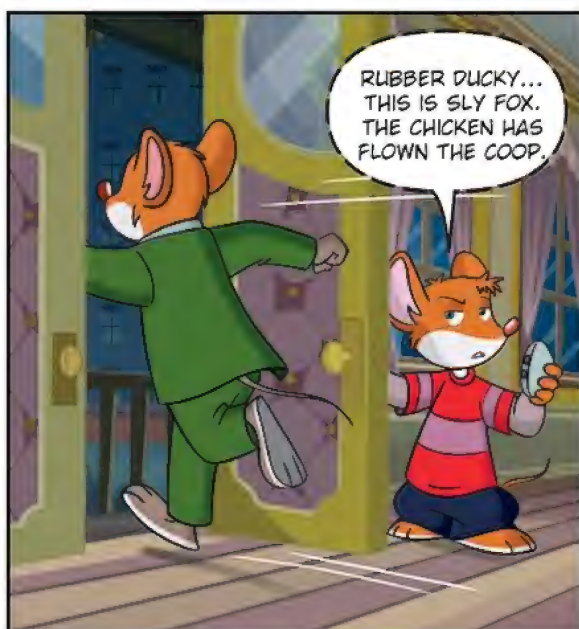




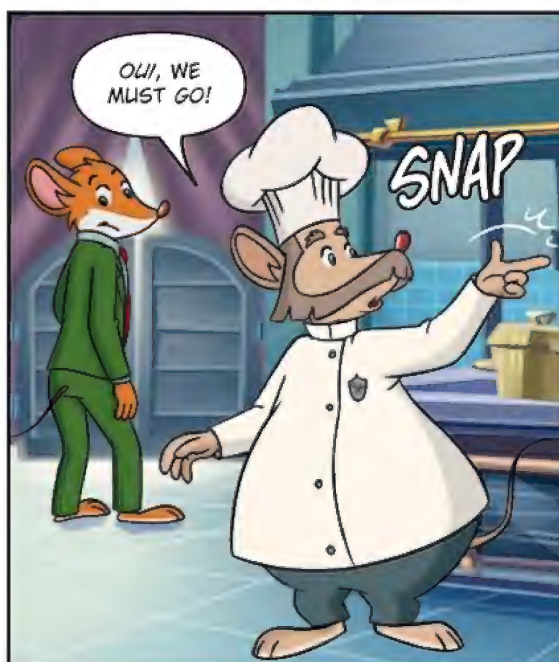










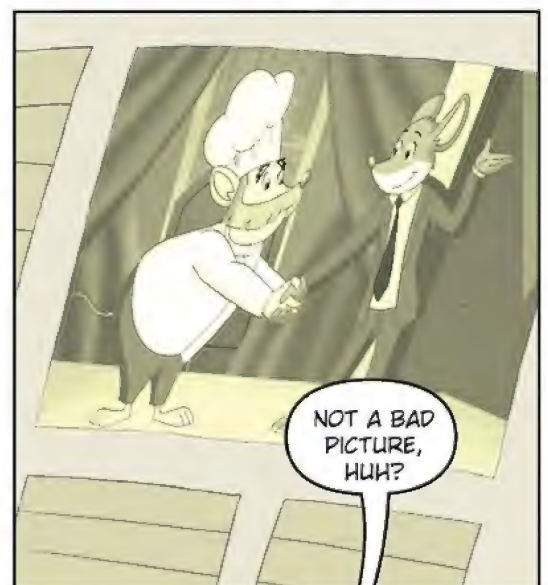
















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Welcome to the savory, succulent, and totally cheesy sixth GERONIMO STILTON REPORTER graphic novel, "Paws Off, Cheddarface!" the official comics adaptation of the sixth episode of Geronimo Stilton, Season One, written by Catherine Cuenca & Patrick Regnard, brought to you by Papercutz—those mousey-types dedicated to publishing great graphic novels for all ages. I'm Salicrup, *Jim Salicrup*, the Editor-in-Chief and Geronimo's Official Cheese-taster, here with more of *The Philosophy of Geronimo Stilton*. Essentially this philosophy is the guiding principles behind the creation of every Geronimo Stilton story, whether created for books, animation, or comics. You can check out the entire *Philosophy of Geronimo Stilton* online at geronimostilton.com. For this installment of *Watch Out for Papercutz*, we'll be taking a closer look at this part of the Philosophy...

GERONIMO STILTON AND FANTASY

The word "Fantasy" derives from the Greek work "phaino," meaning to show. It is the ability of the mind to invent stories or imaginary situations (without ties to reality, lived situations, or concrete references). It's fantasy that stimulates playing, to "make believe," in the sense of creating big, exciting adventures with your playmates. It must not be an escape from the real world, but a sort of trip from which you return having grown. Creative people see the world through different eyes and can see what other people can't. They are able to solve problems looking at them from another point of view using creativity, initiative, and optimism.

This may be a particularly tricky part of the philosophy to wrap your mind around, especially out of context (not being read along with the rest of the philosophy, that is). But there are several ways to interpret this particular point. First, involves the actual creation of Geronimo Stilton stories. While writers are encouraged to be as creative as possible, everyone still wants the adventures of Geronimo Stilton Reporter to be as believable as possible. So, while Geronimo and everyone else he encounters in his adventures may be talking, human-like mice (that's the fantasy part), everything else is treated fairly realistically (meaning everything else in the stories). For future writers out there, that's a valuable lesson to learn. That to make a fantastic idea more believable, set it in as realistic a world as possible. In other words, if every detail, every character, every action in a story is fantasy-based, the more unbelievable the story becomes (that's not to say you shouldn't try to write a story like that, just that it'll be more difficult to make it seem believable). Yet if there's only one fantasy element in a story, by making everything else in the story realistic, it helps the reader accept that that one fantasy element is possible.

Another way to interpret this aspect of Geronimo Stilton's philosophy, is understanding that creativity is not confined to creating art, such as stories, music, drawings, etc. Let me give you an example of exactly what I'm talking about. Over the years I've edited all kinds of comicbooks, and for quite awhile I edited a lot of super-hero comicbooks. As a result I became friends with many super-hero comic writers, and sometimes they'd tell me about a personal problem they had. I'd politely listen, and try to offer a helpful suggestion, but often I couldn't resist telling them that I found it a little funny that they make their living solving the problems of super heroes, and here they were stumped by an ordinary human problem. (Actually, that didn't always go over very well.) I'd suggest that very same creativity that would time after time save the super heroes, could probably solve their problems as well. And it usually did.

One of the greatest characters in literature is Sherlock Holmes, the great fictional detective created by Arthur Conan Doyle. Quite often Holmes would solve seemingly unsolvable mysteries by believing "once you eliminate the impossible, whatever remains, no matter how improbable, must be the truth." Geronimo Stilton often uses his creativity to figure out what's really going on, and by enjoying GERONIMO STILTON REPORTER, you may be training yourself to think more creatively. And you just thought you were enjoying a fun story!

Get ready for another fun story, coming your way in GERONIMO STILTON REPORTER #7 "Going Down to Chinatown." Check out the special preview starting on the next page... and then try to imagine what the rest of the story may be like. Then pick up GERONIMO STILTON REPORTER #7 "Going Down to Chinatown" and see how close you came to the real story!

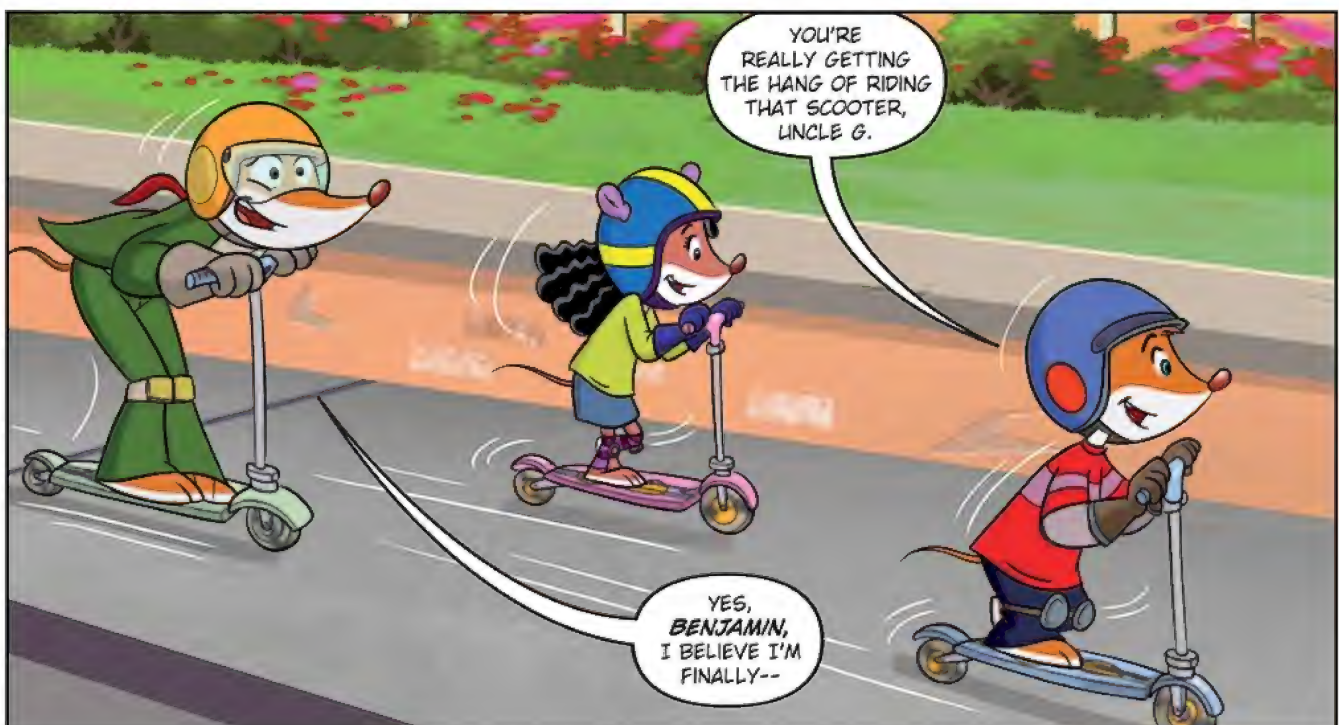
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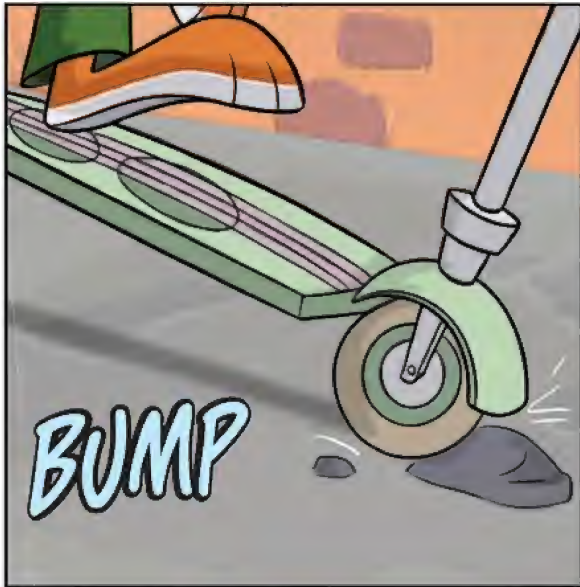
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